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At your convenience, may you please place the email sent to Lisa below in the following docket:
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Thanks ever so much. J

From: Lisa Gelb
Sent: Monday, May 05, 2014 3:32 PM
To: Ann Stevens; Sanford Williams
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Can you ask someone to put this in the docket? Thanks.

From: Abhishek Rawat [<mailto:arawat@rocketmail.com>]
Sent: Monday, May 05, 2014 2:03 PM
To: Marlene Dortch; Lisa Gelb
Subject: LNPA selection process - Potential Conflict of interest

Dear Ms. Gelb,

I write to you regarding the upcoming decision about the new Local Number Portability Administrator (LNPA). I was reading about the selection process and the involvement of NANC in giving recommendations. I feel there is a clear possibility of Conflict of Interest in the selection process. The involvement of NANC brought the influence of industry operators in the selection process. Given that Ericsson (now owner of Telcordia - one of the bidders) is a major equipment supplier to the wireless industry operators, there is a potential for Conflict of Interest in the LNPA selection process. Ericsson could have offered favorable equipment purchase options in future for operators, if they support and enable a win for Telcordia's LNPA bid.

The FCC should have decided the new LNPA by itself and not depended completely on conflicted industry-related groups for recommendation.

Hope you understand what I'm trying to say.

Regards,
Abhishek Rawat
(Consultant, and former wireless industry participant)

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